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 T. W. GREGORY. R. L. BATTS. V. L. BROOKS. SAM'L SPEARS.
 Office in the Browne Building. Brownsville, Texas, May 1, 1939.

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Meteorological Report.

The following observations were taken at the South Texas Garden for the 24 hours ending at eight o'clock today:

Barometer 7 p. m. yesterday, 29.96
 Barometer at 7 a. m. today, 29.94
 Temperature at 7 a. m. today, 73.0
 Maximum temp. yesterday, 90.3
 Minimum temp. this morning, 70.5

Official Forecast.

Tonight and Thursday partly cloudy weather, light variable winds.

LOCAL ITEMS

Electric Theatre Tonight—"The Girls and Daddy," "Solomon's Judgment," "Jephtha's Daughter." Don't miss it!

\$5.00 Reward.—For Elgin watch K. of P. job; open face, lady's picture in it. Return to Herald office for reward. 8-25-tf

Up against it, are you? Are you up against not being able to get just what you want? Haven't tried us, have you? Then give us the opportunity to show you how nice we will treat you at the "Biggest up-to-date Lumber Yard in town." Your for business, J. F. & J. H. Grant Lumber Company. 9-1-6

The largest stock of holiday goods ever handled in Brownsville has been purchased by the Variety Store, who expect to offer the holiday shoppers also the most complete stock from which to select their Christmas gifts ever in Southwest Texas. 8-31-tf

Coldest soda water in town at Martinez's drug store. 7-13-tf

Llano Grande Reaches Mercedes Again.—E. Anglin, customs inspector, stationed at Mercedes, came in on the branch train last night and went back again this morning. He reports that a good part of the Mexican district of Mercedes was under water when he left and the water was still coming in. Mr. Anglin said that while at Santa Maria yesterday morning he was told by Capt. J. N. Ransom, deputy collector of customs there that the river was higher now than at any other time during the latter's 18 year's experience there. The water coming into Mercedes is from the Llano Grande, and not from the river direct. It covers the low ground on one side of the town site, as in the July rise.

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Discontinue Summer Week-End Schedule.—The double daily service on Saturday, Sunday and Monday, between Brownsville and Point Isabel on the Rio Grande R. R. has been discontinued for the season. Hereafter, and until further notice, there will be but one train each way daily.

Means Business.—The Brownsville Hardware Company has received a car load of pipe, a car load of Sherwin Williams' Paints and a car load of Bridge and Beach stoves. This is the first car load of pipe that has been received in Brownsville. According to this these people are not only in a position to supply any and all demands but can also make the PRICE. Brownsville Hardware Company. 8-30-3t

We have added to our furniture business a strictly high grade furniture repair and packing department. Howse Furniture Co. 7-19-tf

Lunch Room Changes Hands.—There has been another change in the management of the Brownsville railroad station lunch room. C. Waucho, who has been in charge for almost a year, relinquishes the position in favor of J. Hanning. The latter comes here from the Gulf Coast News Co. restaurant at Valley Junction on the I. & G. N.

Give us a chance at your next Lumber bill. Phone us No. 251. trouble to answer questions; everything to build with at the Big White Sheds and Office, down near St. L., B. & M. freight depot. J. F. & J. H. Grant Lumber Co. 9-1-6

To Open Sanitarium.—Dr. Works is busy putting his recently completed sanitarium in order for the opening on the tenth. Two of the three trained nurses who will make up the staff are already here. These are Miss Leola Godecke of Galveston, head nurse, and Miss F. Boyard of Louisville, Ky. The third, Miss Jones of Lufkin, will arrive next week.

Expert Blacksmith.—Repairing, horseshoeing, etc. First class work. Manuel Flores. 7-16-tf Wed-Sat

O. E. S. Installation.—Hope Chapter, 124, O. E. S., last night in called session installed its newly elected officers for the coming year, who are as follows: Worthy Matron, Mrs. F. D. Putegnat; worthy patron, Mrs. J. J. Cooke; associate matron, Mrs. Alice Creager; conductress, Miss Anita Cooke; associate conductress, Mrs. G. T. Porter; treasurer, Miss Addie Goodrich; secretary, Emmette K. Goodrich; Adah, Mrs. N. Allen; Ruth, Mrs. W. A. Neale; Esther, Mrs. B. Kowalski; Martha, Mrs. E. K. Goodrich; Electa, Miss Mary Barbour; chaplain, Benj. Kowalski; organist, Mrs. H. Dreyer; Warder, Mrs. A. Wise; marshal, Dr. C. H. Thorn; sentinel, Serg't. Fugitt. The retiring worthy patron, who is also grand patron of the Grand Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star in Texas, acted as installing officer. After the ceremony, the meeting was adjourned members and visitors enjoying an informal social meeting. Ice cream and cake made an acceptable adjunct to the pleasure of the occasion.

PERSONALS

Walter M. Seeligson of Houston representing a St. Louis hardware firm, is doing the Lower Rio Grande Valley on one of his regular tours. He spent the day here and will visit up-river points tomorrow.

Frank Rabb was in town today from Las Palmas ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Allen are now happy in having their home circle complete for the first time since they moved to Brownsville from Houston. The recent arrival of their son, John Y. Allen, with his wife from Houston, filled the last empty place at the paternal board made it a glorious summer for the loving parents. Their younger son, Will, who has been spending the summer with his parents, expects to leave soon for Houston, having accepted an engagement to do cartoon work on the Chronicle for a while. He will probably return to New York later to resume his art studies.

Mrs. A. W. Garden, with her little daughter, of San Antonio, after spending several days visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Kleiber, at their home in this city, returned home today.

Misses Susan and Irene Putegnat have returned home after a delightful visit at La Parra, the beautiful ranch home of their uncle, John G. Kennedy, in the upper part of the county.

R. Holland went out on the branch this morning to La Feria on business.

Miss Anita Cooke went up to Harlingen this morning to visit Mrs. Tom B. Waite.

Geo. J. Head took the branch train to Harlingen this morning to meet Mrs. Head and their little son, who are returning today from a visit to Mrs. Head's former home at Cleburne, Texas.

U. S. Vincent of Houston and J. P. Rochelle of Gonzales arrived in town last night to take positions in the local freight office.

Chas. M. Armstrong returned to town last night. He will open his office in the old Elks club building in a few days.

R. P. Boeye of Donna is in town for a few days.

The Misses Paul, Annie Rooney and Eustacia Hill of Harlingen and W. S. Steele and R. E. Woodward of San Benito came in on the tri-weekly today.

H. G. Ripley, head of the office force of the Foundation Co.'s Brownsville branch, returned on the noon train today from a thirty day trip to Houston, Galveston, New Orleans and Rockland, Texas, very glad to get back where the breezes blow. Monday night, Mr. Ripley said, in Houston it was so intolerably hot that sleep was impossible, while at no time during his trip did he feel as comfortable as when he stepped off the train in Brownsville at noon today.

C. O. Mayes, who came here from Houston and was in the employ of E. F. Rowson & Co. until recently, left this morning for his former home.

Report Untrue.—It was reported here today that three dead bodies, presumably washed down from the Monterey flood, were found in the canal at San Benito this morning, but a phone message from the latter place denies the report.

Enjoin Commerce Board. Special to The Herald.

Chicago, Sept. 1.—New freight rates between Chicago and Des Moines, ordered by the Interstate commission to be put into effect today, will be contested in the courts by the railroads involved.

Life Insurance Meeting.

Special to The Herald.
 Toronto, Ont., Sept. 1.—The Dominion Life Underwriters' Association convened in Toronto today for an annual session of three days, during which many important insurance problems will be threshed out.

Advance in Rates.

Special to The Herald.
 Buffalo, Sept. 1.—Switching rates of the Buffalo terminal road were advanced today from \$1.10 and \$2 to \$2.19 and \$3.

Frisco to New Orleans.

Special to The Herald.
 New Orleans, Sept. 1.—Freight and passenger service between Baton Rouge and New Orleans was installed today by the Frisco road.

Notice.

Brownsville, Texas, Aug. 31, 1939. To all whom it may concern: The partnership heretofore existing between J. S. Rowe and J. R. Baldrige doing business at Brownsville, Texas, under the firm name of the Variety Store has been dissolved by mutual consent.

J. R. BALDRIDGE,
 J. S. ROWE.
 8-31-4

Referring to the above notice of dissolution we beg to say that The Variety Store Company has purchased the entire stock of the Variety Store and will conduct their business at the old stand.

We appreciate the liberal patronage given the old concern and we crave a continuance of same with the new company.

We are increasing our stock daily to meet the wants of our trade and will continue to do so as fast as the demand requires.

THE VARIETY STORE COMPANY.
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Letter List.

Following is the list of letters remaining uncalled for in the post-office at Brownsville for the week ending August 31, 1939:

Ladies.

Mrs. M. Austin, Mrs. Eow. Butler, Mrs. Concepcion Cantu, Srita Florinda Cortez, Lucian Cortez, Miss Mattie Clifton, Mrs. Mae Chenault, Mrs. Manuela Vde Cortez, Mrs. Una Campbell, Juanita Delgado, Mrs. Maggie Dent, Mercedes Espinosa, (2), Mrs. Reyes de Garza, Srita. Manuella Garcia, Trinidad Lopez, Gomez Sra. Tiburcia Lopez, Brownsville Lodge 1032 Division de Lopez, Srita. Francisca Reyes, Srita. Fidela Richarte, Clemencia Shanches, Francisca Torres, Carmen Perez.

Gentlemen.

Sr. Cenobio Alatorre (2), Jacinto Alanis, Zacaritos Arenas, Mr. Olet Berg, Sr. Jose Buenrois, Sr. Francisco Bunibes, Chas. J. Berry, Bardwell and Jones, Mr. C. E. Crow, Mr. J. Campbell, Sr. Juan Casas, Jesus Castro Juan Cantu, Sr. Pantaleon Cortez, Sr. Rafael Cavazos, Sr. Sotero Castello, Santos Cardenas, Evaresto Doria, Mr. Raymundo F. Dickson, Mr. Bert Everett, Sr. Norberto Espitia, Sr. Austencio Echabaria, Sr. Santos Pena, Elizondo, Antonio Flores, Manuel Garza (2), Polinario Garces, Sr. Ignacio de la Garza, Sr. Santos Hernandez, Mr. Lynn Hallerook, Mr. Henry Hardey, Mr. P. Hinojosa, Mr. Ed Harbaner, Hilario Hinojosa, Al. Lanison, Mr. Alfonso Leiva, Mr. C. R. Lancaster, Victoriana Garcia, Marin Garcia, Sr. Don Homobono Lopez, Sergeant Little, Domingo Malpico, Mr. Billy McCauley, Eusebio Ortiz, Sr. Lasaro Ramos (2), Mr. J. M. Ray, A. H. Robnet, M. D., Sr. Perfirio Ramirez, Messers. Houser & Robinson, Mr. Bill Shoffer, Mr. F. T. Smith, Sr. Juan Klauseda, Janis Salaz, Sr. Jacobo Sanchez, J. Schubert, Sr. Macario Sanchez, Sr. Salas Sanced, Mr. A. N. Tandy, Anastacio Trevino, Dolores Veia, Guadalupe Villa, A. T. Woodall, Mr. J. I. Wilkes, Sr. Celso Yberria, Otto Ansinito, Manuel Hernandez, Sr. Hilario Saldana.
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